



**PATENT APPLICATION**

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Mike BINNARD et al.

Group Art Unit: 2877

Application No.: 09/724,146

Examiner: G. Stock, Jr.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CALIBRATING MIRRORS OF A STAGE ASSEMBLY

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND  
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired June 29, 2004, an extension of time for a period of two months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 157664 in the amount of \$420.00 in payment for:

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